

St. Mary's Church - St. Patrick's Church

6th & Pine Sts.

Wilmington, De. 19801

15th & King Sts.

Rev. Leonard R. Klein, Administrator

Rev. John C. McVoy, Assisting

Deacon Robert J. Levesque

MASSES: ST. MARY'S

Sunday: 10:15 A.M.

Baptisms: By Appointment

Holy days: As announced

Rectory: 1414 King St. **Phone:** 652-0743

MASSES: ST. PATRICK'S

Mon., Wed., Fri.: 8:00 A.M.

Tues., Thurs.: 5:30 P.M.; Confession 5:00 P.M.

Sunday: 9:00, 10:30 A.M. (Extraordinary Form/Latin)

Confession—10:00 AM, 5:00 P.M.

Saturday Evening: 4:00 PM (Vigil); Confession 3:30 PM

First Friday: 6:00 PM (Extraordinary Form/Latin)

First Saturday: 9:00 A.M. (Extraordinary Form/Latin)

Website: <http://smspwilmington.com>

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 August 14, 2016
 Jesus endured the cross, despising its shame,
 And has taken his seat at the right of the throne of God.
 Hebrews 12:2

INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Aug. 13	4:00 PM	Rose Marie Hazzard(D), req. The Sisters
Aug. 14	9:00 AM	Gerald Vetack(D), req. Angela & Cullen
	10:15 AM	Liv./Dec.. Mem. Of Archer Family, req. Joe & Judy Archer
	10:30 AM	Robert C. Dunn(D), req. Jean L. Dunn
	5:00 PM	People of the Parish
Aug. 15	8:00 AM	Patricia Shumaker(L), req. Issel Family
	7:00 PM	Benjamin Girone(L), req. Girone Family
Aug. 16	5:30 PM	Rosalie Rueda(L), req. Girone Family
Aug. 17	8:00 AM	Joan McMahan(D), req. Eleanor Riley
Aug. 18	5:30 PM	Joseph T. DelleDonne(D), req. Jim Apostolico
Aug. 19	8:00 AM	Abbie Perlsweig(L), healing, Req. Joe & Judy Archer
Aug. 20	4:00 PM	Kay Hazzard (D), req. The Sisters.
Aug. 21	9:00 AM	Renate Klein(L), req. K of C Fr. Trainor Council
	10:15 AM	The Klein Family(L), req. Ann Tobin and Family
	10:30 AM	Anne Girone(L), req. Girone Family
	5:00 PM	Marie Fugate(D) req. Patricia Durbano

Calendar of Events:-

Aug. 16	St. Vincent DePaul Soc.—6:00 PM—Rectory
Aug. 17	Clean Church—St. Patrick
Aug. 18	Knights of Columbus—7:00 PM—St. Mary Hall
Aug. 24	Clean Church—St. Patrick
Aug. 30	St. Vincent DePaul Soc.—6:00 PM—Rectory
Aug. 31	Clean Church—St. Patrick

Can you tell a weed from a shrub? If so, we could use some help at St. Patrick's. The grounds around the rectory need a little pruning and weeding. Call the office at 652-0743 if you can help.

Pray to bring your loved ones back to the Catholic Faith on the Feast of St. Monica, Saturday, August 27 at a special Devotional Event celebrated by Fr. Molewski, at St. Hedwig Church, 408 S. Harrison St., Wilmington—3:00 PM Exposition of Blessed Sacrament, Confession, Rosary, Benediction and 4:00 PM Mass. Info at 12374columbiettes@gmail.com.

PRAY THE ROSARY DAILY!

ST. PATRICK'S SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Sunday,	Aug. 7, 2016
Offertory	\$3,327.00
St. Vincent DePaul Society	295.85

ST. MARY'S SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Sunday,	Aug. 7, 2016
Offertory	\$758.00
St. Vincent DePaul Society	64.00

Weekly Offertory budgeted needs:-

St. Patrick	\$2,962.00
St. Mary	\$865.00

The second collection the weekend of August 20/21 is for the Cathedral of St. Peter.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS Barbara Stackow, Arlene Dahl, Lisa Sulecki, Pat Zickgraf, Terry Mowbray, Louise Myers, Steve Naughton, Mary Dennis, Robin Passwaters, Lillian Devenney, Alena Rossita, Sharon Edwards, Chris Seltzer, Sherlene Emory, Madeline Askins, Jay Slagle, Lareine Hagen, Elena Tadlock, Judith Gertman, Elaine Moser, Michael Hare, Dorothy Walsh, Ronald Lane, Jim Kelly, Kath McDermott, Virginia Lane, Patrick McGinnis, Bill McGiveny, J. B. Harrington, Bill Taylor, Harry Coulsting, Christopher McGonigle, Duncan Ryan, Cristina Smith, Juanita Henderson, Sean Dahl, Cynthia Herrick, Tyler White, John Lewis, Judy Leary, Mary Sobocinski, Larry Tobin, Jr., Vernon Cropper, Jack Manlove, Richard Grier, Ida Lane, Joey Farrell, Grace Monaco, John Alexander McGonigle, Liz Adams, Cindy Crispin, Fay Weldon, Brian Matt, Julia Farrell, Mary Ciritella, Nancy Read Keil, Christine Sacharok, Alexis Collins, Henry Manlove, Sr., Jack McDermott, III, Susan Naughton, Vici Manlove, Anna Matt, Ann Tobin, Claire Cambra, Samantha Nelson, Judy Maciey, Catherine Manlove Pugliese, Anita Flynn, Christina Mallon, Mary Elizabeth Selsky, Veronica Scully, Renate Klein, Randy Carter.

If you wish to add or remove a name from this list, please call the Parish Office—652-0743. Thank you.

St. John's/Holy Angels' International Food Festival, August 28, Fremont Hall, 82 Possum Park Road, Newark, 11:00 AM to 4:00 PM. Tickets \$10 each entitles you to 10 tickets valued at \$1.00 each. Additional tickets will be available to purchase. For more information go to apress@holyangels.net or 302-731-2219.

Mark your Calendars:- Holy Spirit Parish and the Shrine of Our Lady Queen of Peace will host the Catholic Diocese of Wilmington's Annual Marian Pilgrimage on Saturday October 1 from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM. Scheduled guest speaker: Dr. Anthony Esolen, Professor of English at Providence College, contributor to Magnificat magazine, author of Defending Marriage, and translator of Dante's Divine Comedy. Families and children welcome. Details to Follow

The Cathedral of Saint Peter is celebrating its 200th anniversary this year. This beautiful and historic church is in need of our help. The weekend of August 20 & 21, a special collection for the maintenance and preservation of the Cathedral of Saint Peter will be taken up in all parishes in our diocese. Please be as generous as you can. For more information, including a letter from Bishop Malooly, a message from the Cathedral's Administrator and a video tour of the Cathedral, go to www.cdow.org.

SUPPORT ST. VINCENT DEPAUL SOC.

Dear Members and Friends of St. Mary's, St. Patrick's and St. Peter's Cathedral:

In today's Old Testament reading Jeremiah is thrown into a cistern because the truth he spoke was demoralizing the troops. The episode has a very contemporary ring to it. The truth is inhibited in all sorts of ways because it is often very inconvenient. Truth that challenges the conventions, customs, and comforts of any era is unwelcome and often met with hostility. People prefer to believe what pleases them, whether it is true or not.

So also it was with the preaching of Jesus, who warns in today's Gospel that it will set the earth on fire and create division even in families.

Division, resistance and persecution are not what we seek. We seek to know and love God and to serve our neighbor. But to know and love God is to say no to many of the world's most cherished values and idols. To serve our neighbor properly can require challenging the status quo along a wide range of issues. It can also require challenging the neighbor.

We do not seek resistance and division, but the truth frees us from the lies of the present age and the lies do not care to be exposed. But the will of God and the joy of the Gospel are worth the price.

I was happy to see so many of you checking out the Book of Sacred Liturgy last week. I have not yet mentioned the financial value of the change. With shipping the annual cost of *Breaking Bread* is nearly \$6.00 apiece. The Book of Sacred Liturgy is \$20.00. So in a little over three years we will recover the cost and end the waste of throwing out several hundred copies per year.

Also, please remember that Monday, August 15, is the Solemnity of the Assumption. Because it falls on a Monday, it is not a Holy Day of Obligation this year, however, I encourage you to attend Mass on this great feast. Mass will be celebrated at St. Patrick's at 8:00 AM and 7:00 PM (Latin) and at the Cathedral at 12:10 PM.

Finally, I do ask you all to give generously to the Cathedral collection next week. It is critical for maintaining the mother church of the Diocese.

In Christ,
Fr. Klein

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2; Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14; 1 Cor 15:54b-57; Lk 11:27-28
Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Ps 45:10-12, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56

Tuesday: Ez 28:1-10; Dt 32:26-28, 30, 35cd-36ab; Mt 19:23-30

Wednesday: Ez 34:1-11; Ps 23:1-6; Mt 20:1-16

Thursday: Ez 36:23-28; Ps 51:12-15, 18-19; Mt 22:1-14

Friday: Ez 37:1-14; Ps 107:2-9; Mt 22:34-40

Saturday: Ez 43:1-7a; Ps 85:9ab, 10-14; Mt 23:1-12

Sunday: Is 66:18-21; Ps 117:1, 2; Heb 12:5-7, 11-13; Lk 13:22-30

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday: The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Tuesday: St. Stephen of Hungary
Friday: St. John Eudes
Saturday: St. Bernard

Listen to Catholic Forum every Sunday morning at 10:05 AM on 1150AM WDEL now found on 101.7 FM and www.wdel.com. Next Sunday, August 21, get ready for back-to-school, when Dr. Lou DeAngelo, Superintendent of Schools for the Diocese of Wilmington will be the guest. Available on-air, online and on-demand, Catholic Forum airs Sunday mornings at 9:05 on WAAI 100.9FM in Hurlock, Maryland and on www.1009purecountry.com

Vocation Thought:- Today's reading from the Letter to the Hebrews tells us that we are "surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses." Every day, deacons, priests, religious sisters and religious brothers serve as witnesses by bringing the love of the invisible God to people through visible works and ministry. Is it possible that God might be calling you to a lifetime of ministry in the Church? Call or write Father Norman Carroll, Diocesan Director of Priestly and Religious Vocations (302-573-3113); vocations@cdow.org. Be sure to visit our website: www.cdow.org/vocations!

Cathedral of St. Peter 200 Year Anniversary Gala Event, Thursday, October 6, 2016 at the Hotel DuPont, 6:00 PM to 10:00 PM, Gold Ballroom; 6:00 to 6:30 PM, hors d'oeuvres; 6:30 to 8:30 PM, dinner and guest speakers; 8:30 to 10:00 PM, dancing. Tickets available at \$100 each by calling Jean Manning at 302-654-5920 or cathedralstp@comcast.net. Flyers available in the back of church.

Save the Date!:- Saturday, September 17, St. Helena's Church, Philadelphia Pike, Wilmington - the diocesan Respect Life Committee is sponsoring a program and fund raiser. There will be workshops at 3:00 PM, Mass at 5:00 PM, followed by dinner. The proceeds from the dinner will go to support the work of 40 Days for Life and Rachel's Vineyard. The main speaker at the dinner, homilist at Mass and leader of one workshop will be Fr. Paul Schenck, Director of Pro-Life Activities for the Diocese of Harrisburg and a long-time veteran of the Pro-Life movement. More information to follow.

Rachel's Vineyard Catholic Retreat for post-abortion healing will be held at Jesus House, Wilmington, DE October 21-23. The retreat weekend is a beautiful opportunity for any person who has struggled with the emotional or spiritual pain of abortion. For more info contact Nan Freeman at 302-528-8313 or visit rachelvineyard.org.

Book of Sacred Liturgy:- Bookplates will be placed in the Book of Sacred Liturgy to show in whose memory or honor the book was given. We will be looking for volunteers with good handwriting skills. Let Father Klein know if you can help.

International Night Presents dinner prepared by Tom Hanmum of Buckley's Tavern, Sunday, August 28, at Francis X. Norton Center, 917 N. Madison St., Wilm. Doors open at 5:00 PM, \$25 per seat, proceeds benefiting Emanuel Dining Room, Reserve online dmenchhofer@ministryofcaring.org or call 302-652-3228.

"Alison's Choice", A Film About Life, Exclusive Film Screening, Monday, August 29, 7:30 PM, AMC Theatre Painter's Crossing 9, 112 Wilmington Pike, West Chester, PA (Rt. 1 & 202 intersection). Tickets available only at www.tugg.com/events/120308 by Aug. 22

St. Vincent DePaul Society:- Please consider marking your United Way contribution through your employer to the Society of St. Vincent DePaul by using Code 9284. Thank you for your support of the needy.

When necessary, contact Father Klein—(home) 478-2028; (cell) 717-586-9611; or e-mail LKLEIN45@comcast.net.

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